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Stind Glass Factory in Sofia

1. The Stind glass factory is a government-controlled establishment under the Durnbavno Industriyalno Obedinenie "Stroitelni Materiyali" (Government Industrial Union "Building Materials", a section of the Ministry of Industry.
2. The plant is located at No. 27, Dokorska Street, Orlandovtsi quarter, Sofia.  
 (Appendix A is a sketch showing the approximate location of the Stind plant: the sketch is not drawn to scale. Appendix B,  not drawn to scale, is a sketch of the actual plant.)
3. The plant contains a smokestack and is comprised of four brick and cement buildings painted yellow, as follows:

- a. Administration building approximately 20 meters long, three meters wide, and three meters high (No. 1, Appendix B);
- b. Work building approximately 30 meters long, eight meters wide, and three meters high, housing workers' benches (No. 2, Appendix B);
- c. Work building approximately 50 meters long, 50 meters wide, and eight meters high, housing approximately 20 furnaces, one Vanna furnace of 25-ton capacity, installation and electric installation workshop, and storage depot for molds (No. 3, Appendix B); and
- d. Storage building approximately 50 meters long, 30 meters wide, and eight meters high, housing indoor storage space, "scorching," cutting, and packing workshops (No. 4, Appendix B).

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4. There are also two outdoor storage areas for unfinished products located in the immediate vicinity of the actual plant area (No. 5, Appendix B).
5. The plant has the following equipment:
  - a. Two Kiko machines, which are used in producing the following types of products:
    - (1) Medicine bottles of 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 250, 300, 500, and 1,000 gram capacity;
    - (2) Ink bottles of 20, 50, 250, 500, and 1,000 gram capacity;
    - (3) Wine bottles, Bordeaux type, of 500, 750, and 1,000 gram capacity;
    - (4) Perfume bottles of 20, 50, 100, 200, 250, 500, 750, and 1,000 gram capacity; and
    - (5) Glue bottles of 50 and 75 gram capacity.
  - b. One press machine, which is used in making the following types of products:
    - (1) Single and double inkwells;
    - (2) Various types of whiskey, beer, and wine glasses of 20, 30, 100, and 200 gram capacity;
    - (3) Water glasses of 200 gram capacity; and
    - (4) Various types of bowls and small cups.
  - c. One Tromel machine;
  - d. One double cutter machine for producing glass lamp chimneys;
  - e. Two cutter machines for producing glasses, lampshades, and single glass lamp chimneys; and
  - f. One burner used in production of glasses and glass lamp chimneys.
6. The following equipment, not in use, was stored and held in reserve at the plant:
  - a. Two Kiko machines;
  - b. One press machine;
  - c. One Tromel machine;
  - d. One machine used in producing glass buttons; and
  - e. One machine used in producing glass beads.
7. Raw materials used by the Stind plant are:

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- a. Calcium phosphate: Formerly obtained from Germany and Rumania and now received from the USSR at irregular intervals;
- b. Quartz sand: Good quality, refined; one carload daily from the mine at Senovo village (N4340 E2622); and
- c. Marble powder: Obtained from a marble mill in Sofia.

## 8. Plant production is as follows:

- a. The plant operates three shifts per day: 6:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., and 10:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.;
- b. Actual working time of the shifts were seven hours for the day shifts and five hours for the night shift;
- c. The plant's output, governed by plans and directives of the Ministry of Interior, comprises the greatest part of the glass lamp chimney and wine bottle production in Bulgaria; total production is approximately  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to five tons per day; and

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- d. Plant production. [redacted] were shipped to the following customers:

- (1) Individual farm cooperatives, through the various regional cooperative unions;
- (2) Government cooperatives and stores, through the Durzhavno Turgovsko Predpriyatie "Koloniyalni Stoki" (Government Commercial Enterprise "Colonial Wares");
- (3) Government alcohol monopoly, all wine bottles; and
- (4) Albania, approximately 150,000 glass lamp chimneys of type No. 5; 50,000 water glasses of 200 gram capacity; and 50,000 wine glasses of 100 gram capacity.

## 9. The Stind factory manufactured the following products:

- a. Glass lamp chimneys, types No. 5 and No. 8;
- b. Various types of lampshades;
- c. Various types of wine and water glasses of 100 and 200 gram capacity;
- d. Water containers of 250, 500, 750, 1,000, 1,500, and 2,000 gram capacity;
- e. Water carafes of 2,250 gram capacity;
- f. Jugs of three liter capacity;
- g. Wine bottles, Bordeaux type, of 500 and 750 gram capacity;
- h. Gas lamps, type No. 5 and No. 8;

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- i. Various size whiskey bottles and glasses;
- j. Various size jars and jugs;
- k. Various size milk jugs;
- l. Test tubes for use by the Agricultural faculty;
- m. Kerosene street lamps;
- n. Automobile accessories; and
- o. Photography equipment.

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10. [ ] the following personalities at the plant:

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a. Metodi Milanov Ivanov, plant director, [ ]

b. Kiril Angelov Popkirov, head bookkeeper [ ]

c. Doncho Petrov Dinev, bookkeeper [ ]

d. Georgi Lazarov Panikolov, production manager [ ]

e. Kiril Stoev, production accountant, [ ]

f. Kiril Vurbanov Nikolov, personnel officer [ ]

g. Dimitur Pavlov, cashier, [ ]

h. Tsvetan Devinski, plant manager [ ]

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- i. Kiril Stoyanov Savov, correspondent, [redacted]  
[redacted]
- j. Vladimir Grigorov, expediter [redacted]  
[redacted]
- k. Stoyan Atanasov, in charge of technical work, [redacted]  
[redacted]
- l. Iliya Grigorov, inspector [redacted]  
[redacted]
- m. Yan Gernard, [redacted] excellent worker both 50X1-HUM  
by hand and machine, has worked in the glass industry for the past 25 years.  
[redacted]
- n. Yani Mitev, specialist, has worked 20 years in the glass industry, good 50X1-HUM  
hand worker, [redacted]
- o. Dimitur Anastasov, specialist, has worked 25 years in the glass industry.  
excellent worker both by hand and machine [redacted] 50X1-HUM
- p. Evlogi Mladenov, has worked five years in the glass industry. a good operator  
of the Kiko machine [redacted] 50X1-HUM
- q. Dimitur Videnov, has worked eight years in the glass industry. good worker.  
[redacted] 50X1-HUM
- r. Neiko Neikov. has worked years in the glass industry. good press machine  
operator [redacted] 50X1-HUM
- s. Evstati Kordon, has worked 10 years in the glass industry, excellent master  
glass worker and glass engraver [redacted] 50X1-HUM
- t. Nedyo Ivanov Danev, has worked five years in the glass industry [redacted]  
[redacted] 50X1-HUM
- u. Petur Filipov Kurstev, has worked 10 years in the glass industry, excellent  
master glass worker [redacted]  
[redacted] 50X1-HUM
- v. Petur Danaikov Georgiev, has worked eight years in the glass industry, good  
worker [redacted]  
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Other Glass Factories in Bulgaria

11. The Yanko Peeve, formerly the Gevedzhe, glass factory in Stalin is the largest of its type in Bulgaria. In addition to producing the same type of products as those listed above for the Stind factory, it produces No. 12 glass lamp chimneys, window glass of various thicknesses, colored glass, and all types of porcelain products. The majority of the plant's production is exported to the USSR and Albania.
12. The Kitka glass factory in Novi Pazar produces fewer types of products than the Stind factory.
13. The Vasil Kolarov, formerly the Belfa, glass factory in Sliven is the only factory in Bulgaria which produces electric light bulbs.
14. The Kristal glass factory, located between Dimitrovo and Batanovtsi village, produces window and store window glass, most of which is exported to Albania and the USSR.
15. The Stuklo glass factory, located in Sofia, produces black glass products such as beer and wine bottles, jars, and jugs.
16. The Nadezhda glass factory, located in the Nadezhda quarter of Sofia, produces green glass products such as perfume bottles and various types of alcohol bottles.
17. The Petko Napetov, formerly the Gorna Banya, glass factory, located in the Gorna Banya quarter of Sofia, produces light-colored and blue glass products of the same type as the Stind factory.

Slaughterhouse and Serdika Dairy in Sofia

18. The slaughterhouse is under the direct control of the Rila meat packing plant, a section of the Druzhavno Industriyalno Obedinenie "Khranitelna i Konservna Promishlenost" (Government Industrial Union "Food and Canning Industry"). The slaughterhouse has large refrigerated storage rooms and produces all types of ham, salami, sausage, and other meat products (No. 1, Appendix A).
19. The Serdika dairy in Sofia is under the direct control of the Milk and Milk Products section of the Druzhavno Industriyalno Obedinenie Khranitelna i Konservna Promishlenost. The dairy produces milk, yogurt, white and yellow cheese, and cream, which it distributes to consumers by the Serdika dairy shops located throughout Sofia. Dairy products in Bulgaria are rationed or sold on the free market at high prices; however, most of the produce of the Serdika dairy is exported--some to Albania, Rumania, and Czechoslovakia, but primarily to the USSR. (Dairy is located at No. 6, Appendix A.)
20. Below is the legend for Appendix A, page 8:
  1. Sofia slaughterhouse.
  2. Fountain.
  3. Orlandovtsi Peoples Bank building.
  4. Primary and junior high school.
  5. Orlandovtsi quarter Peoples Council headquarters.
  6. Serdika Dairy.
  7. Outdoor storage area for Stind plant.

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8. Stind plant.
9. Outdoor storage area for Stind plant.
10. Factory which manufactures steel beds.
11. Orlandovtsi trolley stop.
12. Orlandovtsi-Seminariya trolley line.
- 13-21. Residential area.

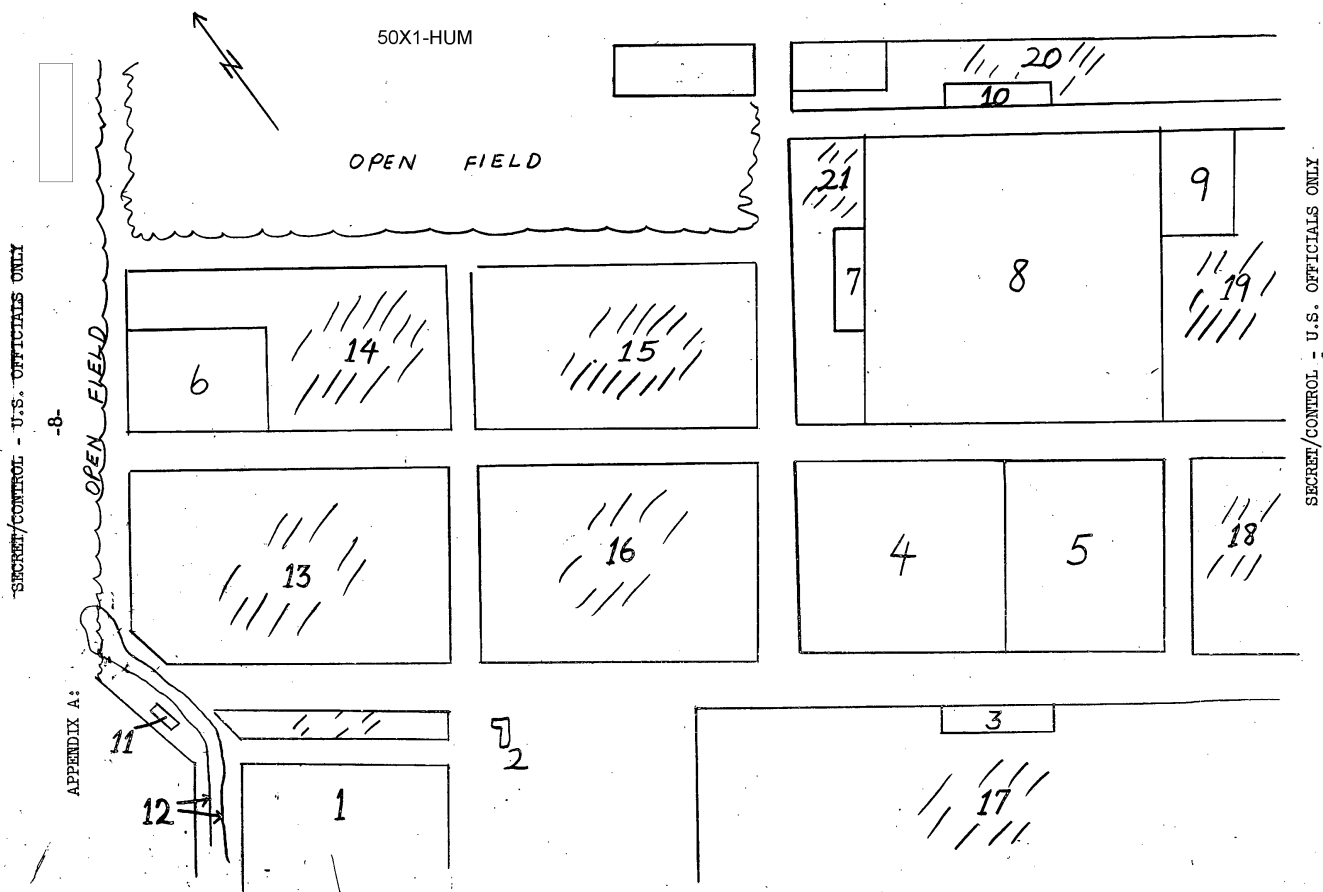
21. Below is the legend for Appendix B, page 9:

1. Administration building:
  - a. Storage room.
  - b. Kitchen.
  - c. Director's office, housing director and correspondent.
  - d. Office, housing production manager, production accountant, chief accountant, and accountant.
  - e. Office, housing cashier, expeditor, technical branch, personnel offices, plant manager, and production control department.
2. Building, housing work benches.
3. Work building:
  - a. Furnaces.
  - b. Kiko machines.
  - c. Kiko machines.
  - d. Press machine.
  - e. Vanna furnace, 25-ton capacity.
  - f. Retting pond.
  - g. Tromel machine.
  - h. Gas drum regulator for Vanna furnace.
  - i. Installation and electric installation workshop and storage depot for molds.
  - j. Gas generators.
4. Storage building, indoor:
  - a. Packing workshop.
  - b. Burning workshop.
  - c. Cutting workshop.
  - d. Bath.
5. Supply building.
6. Gate, entrance office.
7. Outdoor storage area.
8. Outdoor storage area.
9. Wood shop:
  - a. Wood depot.
  - b. W.C.
  - c. W.C.
10. Residential area.
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12. Residential area, living quarters.

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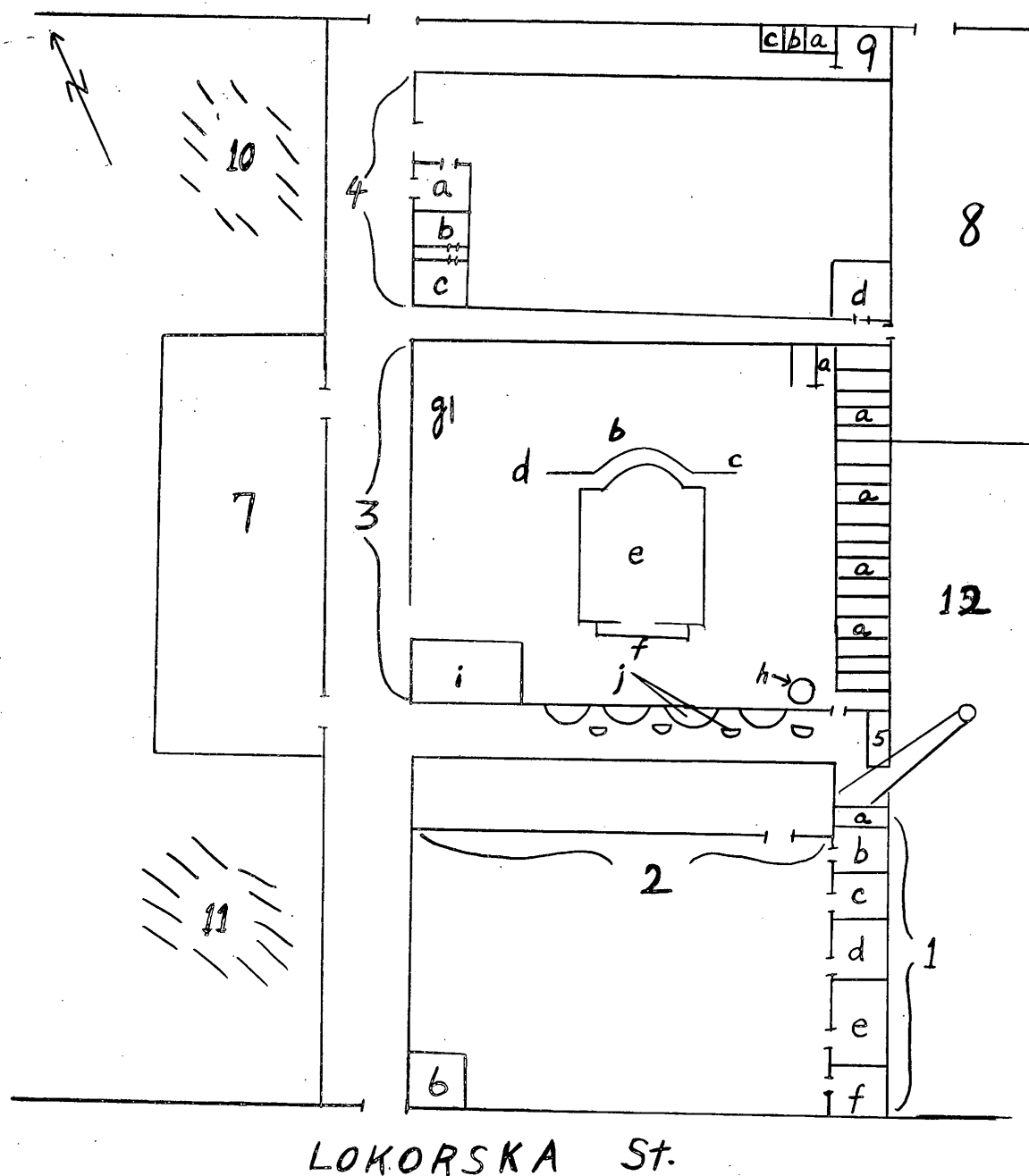


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